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MEMORANDUM

TO: Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents
Public School Academy Directors

FROM: Venessa A. Keesler, Ph.D. *V. Keesler*
Deputy Superintendent, Education Services

SUBJECT: Comment Period on School Improvement Grant (SIG) Waiver

The Michigan Department of Education is in the process of filing a waiver request to the United States Department of Education to extend the availability of funds of the FY 2010 and FY 2011 1003(g) School Improvement Grant (SIG) until September 30, 2014. The extended funds will be used to fund the third year of program implementation (FY 2013 - 14) of Cohort II SIG schools.

The waiver process allows for public comment on this request. Comments and questions should be directed to Kristine Davidson, at (517) 373-9717, or via email at davidsonk1@michigan.gov, no later than September 26, 2013.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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